

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Henry B. Pitman *continued*

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Lisa Margaret Smith
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1955
 Education: Earlham 1977 BA; Duke 1980 JD
 Began Service: March 20, 1995
 Term Expires: March 19, 2011

Academic: Adjunct Professor, Pace University School of Law (2006)

Government: Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, County of Kings, New York (1980-1985); Assistant Attorney General, Department of Law, Office of the Attorney General, State of New York (1985-1986); Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, County of Kings, New York (1986-1987); Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of New York, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1987-1995)

Judicial: Chief Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (2006-2007)

Current Memberships: Federal Bar Council; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Judge and Lawyers' Breast Cancer Alert; National Association of Women Judges; Westchester County Bar Association; Board of Directors, Women's Bar Association of the State of New York

Membership: Past Member of the Board of Directors, Alumni Association, School of Law, Duke University

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Andrew J. Peck

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Andrew J. Peck
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1953
 Education: Cornell 1974 AB; Duke 1977 JD
 Began Service: February 27, 1995
 Term Expires: February 26, 2011

Affiliation: Adjunct Professor, Pretrial Practices, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, Yeshiva University; Member of the Board of Directors, Berkshire Hills-Emanuel Camps

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Paul Roney, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (1977-1978)

Legal Practice: Associate, Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP

Nonprofit: Member of the Board of Directors, Mystery Writers of America, Inc. (2002-2004)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Andrew J. Peck *continued*

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Michael H. Dolinger
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
 Education: Columbia 1968 BA, 1972 JD
 Began Service: March 12, 1984
 Term Expires: March 11, 2016

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Wilfred Feinberg, United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (1972-1973)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of New York, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1976-1984)

Legal Practice: Nickerson, Kramer, Lowenstein, Nessen, Kamin & Soll (1973-1976)

Staff

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 Term Expires: September 2010

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James Clark Francis IV
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1952
 Education: Yale 1974 BA, 1978 JD;
 Harvard 1978 MPP
 Began Service: October 28, 1985
 Term Expires: October 27, 2017
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

Academic: Adjunct Professor, School of Law, Fordham University (2003-2006)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Robert L. Carter, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (1978-1979)

Legal Practice: Staff Attorney, Legal Aid Society (1979-1985)

Current Memberships: The Association of the Bar of the City of New York; Federal Bar Council; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; The New York State Bar Association

Chambers of Magistrate Judge James Clark Francis IV *continued*

Staff
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Theodore H. Katz
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
 Education: Brandeis 1968 BA; Columbia 1973 JD
 Began Service: 1991
 Term Expires: June 6, 2012

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Robert L. Carter, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York

Nonprofit: Director, Legal Aid Society Prisoner's Rights Project

Current Memberships: The Association of the Bar of the City of New York

Staff

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Ronald L. Ellis
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
 Education: NYU 1975 JD
 Began Service: November 16, 1993
 Term Expires: November 15, 2017

Academic: Adjunct Professor, School of Law, New York University (1984-1994)

Legal Practice: Attorney, NAACP Legal Defense and Education Fund, Inc. (1976-1993)

Staff

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Chambers of Magistrate Judge Ronald L. Ellis *continued*

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Kevin Nathaniel Fox
 Magistrate Judge

Began Service: October 2, 1997
 Term Expires: October 2013

Staff

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 Term Expires: August 2011
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Frank Maas
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
 Education: SUNY (Binghamton) 1972 BA; NYU 1976 JD
 Began Service: June 1999
 Term Expires: June 1, 2015

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Henry F. Werker, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (1976-1978)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of New York, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1980-1986); Deputy Commissioner and First Deputy Commissioner, Department of Investigation, City of New York, New York (1995-1999)

Legal Practice: Associate, Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosie LLP (1978-1980); Associate and Partner, Phillips Lytle LLP (1986-1995)

Current Memberships: The Association of the Bar of the City of New York; Federal Bar Council; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; The New York State Bar Association

Staff

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